

MOUTRIE
PIANOS
BEST VALUE
IN
HONGKONG

The China Mail

Temperature 67 Barometer 30.09
Rainfall 0.00 in. Humidity 64

ESTABLISHED 1845

THE DOLLAR
To-day's closing rate 2/4 1/16
To-day's opening rate 2/4 1/16

ALWAYS GET THE BEST!

JEYES
FLUID
THE BEST
DISINFECTANT

Sole Agents:
ALEX. ROSS & CO. CHINA LTD.

No. 19,077. 一拜禮 號七月正年四十二百九千一英

HONGKONG, MONDAY JANUARY 7, 1914

日二初月二十亥癸次歲年二十國華中 PRICE, \$3.00 Per Month.

MOUTRIE
PIANOS

LEAST COST
MOST SERVICE
CATALOGUE ON REQUEST

S. MOUTRIE & CO., LTD.
CHATER ROAD.

SENNET FRERES

THE
COLONY'S BEST KNOWN
JEWELLERS
AND
DIAMOND
MERCHANTS
HAVE OPENED THEIR
NEW SHOP

IN
PEDDER STREET
(OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL)

Tel. Central 2318 P. O. Box 530

HAWTHORNE & PEARSON

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Tailors



Breeches Makers

St George's Building, Ice House Street.
(Next door Café Wissman.)

DONNELLY & WHYTE.

WINE MERCHANTS. Tel. Cen. 636.

ECONOMY IN COAL.
Fuchsen Lamps Coal stands for economy in Coal value. All Lamp Coals have a large percentage of heat which are PRACTICALLY WASTE. The heat in FUCHSEN Lamp Coals is used in the house as soon as they are put into boilers. Fuchsen Lamp Coals burn gradually and so therefore a definite economy.

SING IP & CO.
Sole Merchants of Fuchsen Lamps & Coals. Tel. Central 2318. Cable address: "Hindus".
(We stock all the 20-25 lbs. 25-30 lbs. 30-35 lbs. 35-40 lbs. 40-45 lbs. 45-50 lbs. 50-55 lbs. 55-60 lbs. 60-65 lbs. 65-70 lbs. 70-75 lbs. 75-80 lbs. 80-85 lbs. 85-90 lbs. 90-95 lbs. 95-100 lbs. 100-105 lbs. 105-110 lbs. 110-115 lbs. 115-120 lbs. 120-125 lbs. 125-130 lbs. 130-135 lbs. 135-140 lbs. 140-145 lbs. 145-150 lbs. 150-155 lbs. 155-160 lbs. 160-165 lbs. 165-170 lbs. 170-175 lbs. 175-180 lbs. 180-185 lbs. 185-190 lbs. 190-195 lbs. 195-200 lbs. 200-205 lbs. 205-210 lbs. 210-215 lbs. 215-220 lbs. 220-225 lbs. 225-230 lbs. 230-235 lbs. 235-240 lbs. 240-245 lbs. 245-250 lbs. 250-255 lbs. 255-260 lbs. 260-265 lbs. 265-270 lbs. 270-275 lbs. 275-280 lbs. 280-285 lbs. 285-290 lbs. 290-295 lbs. 295-300 lbs. 300-305 lbs. 305-310 lbs. 310-315 lbs. 315-320 lbs. 320-325 lbs. 325-330 lbs. 330-335 lbs. 335-340 lbs. 340-345 lbs. 345-350 lbs. 350-355 lbs. 355-360 lbs. 360-365 lbs. 365-370 lbs. 370-375 lbs. 375-380 lbs. 380-385 lbs. 385-390 lbs. 390-395 lbs. 395-400 lbs. 400-405 lbs. 405-410 lbs. 410-415 lbs. 415-420 lbs. 420-425 lbs. 425-430 lbs. 430-435 lbs. 435-440 lbs. 440-445 lbs. 445-450 lbs. 450-455 lbs. 455-460 lbs. 460-465 lbs. 465-470 lbs. 470-475 lbs. 475-480 lbs. 480-485 lbs. 485-490 lbs. 490-495 lbs. 495-500 lbs. 500-505 lbs. 505-510 lbs. 510-515 lbs. 515-520 lbs. 520-525 lbs. 525-530 lbs. 530-535 lbs. 535-540 lbs. 540-545 lbs. 545-550 lbs. 550-555 lbs. 555-560 lbs. 560-565 lbs. 565-570 lbs. 570-575 lbs. 575-580 lbs. 580-585 lbs. 585-590 lbs. 590-595 lbs. 595-600 lbs. 600-605 lbs. 605-610 lbs. 610-615 lbs. 615-620 lbs. 620-625 lbs. 625-630 lbs. 630-635 lbs. 635-640 lbs. 640-645 lbs. 645-650 lbs. 650-655 lbs. 655-660 lbs. 660-665 lbs. 665-670 lbs. 670-675 lbs. 675-680 lbs. 680-685 lbs. 685-690 lbs. 690-695 lbs. 695-700 lbs. 700-705 lbs. 705-710 lbs. 710-715 lbs. 715-720 lbs. 720-725 lbs. 725-730 lbs. 730-735 lbs. 735-740 lbs. 740-745 lbs. 745-750 lbs. 750-755 lbs. 755-760 lbs. 760-765 lbs. 765-770 lbs. 770-775 lbs. 775-780 lbs. 780-785 lbs. 785-790 lbs. 790-795 lbs. 795-800 lbs. 800-805 lbs. 805-810 lbs. 810-815 lbs. 815-820 lbs. 820-825 lbs. 825-830 lbs. 830-835 lbs. 835-840 lbs. 840-845 lbs. 845-850 lbs. 850-855 lbs. 855-860 lbs. 860-865 lbs. 865-870 lbs. 870-875 lbs. 875-880 lbs. 880-885 lbs. 885-890 lbs. 890-895 lbs. 895-900 lbs. 900-905 lbs. 905-910 lbs. 910-915 lbs. 915-920 lbs. 920-925 lbs. 925-930 lbs. 930-935 lbs. 935-940 lbs. 940-945 lbs. 945-950 lbs. 950-955 lbs. 955-960 lbs. 960-965 lbs. 965-970 lbs. 970-975 lbs. 975-980 lbs. 980-985 lbs. 985-990 lbs. 990-995 lbs. 995-1000 lbs. 1000-1005 lbs. 1005-1010 lbs. 1010-1015 lbs. 1015-1020 lbs. 1020-1025 lbs. 1025-1030 lbs. 1030-1035 lbs. 1035-1040 lbs. 1040-1045 lbs. 1045-1050 lbs. 1050-1055 lbs. 1055-1060 lbs. 1060-1065 lbs. 1065-1070 lbs. 1070-1075 lbs. 1075-1080 lbs. 1080-1085 lbs. 1085-1090 lbs. 1090-1095 lbs. 1095-1100 lbs. 1100-1105 lbs. 1105-1110 lbs. 1110-1115 lbs. 1115-1120 lbs. 1120-1125 lbs. 1125-1130 lbs. 1130-1135 lbs. 1135-1140 lbs. 1140-1145 lbs. 1145-1150 lbs. 1150-1155 lbs. 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LAMMERT BROS.

Auctioneers, Appraisers
AND SURVEYORS.
Public Auctions.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction.

TUESDAY, January 8, 1924.

commencing at 2.30 p.m.
at No. 3, Peak Road.
A Quantity of
Valuable Household Furniture,
Comprising:—

Teak bathtubs, chest-of-drawers, teak
curio cabinet, teak extending dining
table, (for 24 persons) dining chairs,
side board with bevelled mirror,
dinner wagon, ice chest, teak
bedstead, teak wardrobes with glass
doors, dressing table with bevelled
mirror, marble top washstand, chest
of drawers etc., etc.

Also
One Columbia Gramophone with
records.
Catalogues will be issued.
On View from Monday the 7th,
January, 1924.

Terms:—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, January 2, 1924.

WEDNESDAY, January 9, 1924
commencing at 5.15 p.m.
at their Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,
A Valuable Collection of Postage
Stamps.

Mostly British Colonials King's head
in Mint condition.
Catalogues will be issued.

On View from Monday the 7th,
January, 1924.
Terms:—Cash on delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,
Auctioneers.
Hongkong, 3rd January, 1924.

FARES FOR PUBLIC
VEHICLES.

The fares prescribed for public vehicles
are as follows:—
In the Island of Hongkong, Cause
Road and Lower Levels, and in
Kowloon, and New Kowloon.

RICKSHAS.

Five minutes..... 5 cents
Ten minutes..... 10
Quarter hour..... 15
Half hour..... 20
One hour..... 30
Every subsequent hour..... 30
If the rickshas be engaged
within the City of Victoria, and be dis-
charged outside the Western part of the
City of Victoria after 9 p.m., or be dis-
charged to the East of Key View Police
Station on the Eastern side of the City
of Victoria after 8 p.m., an extra half
fare shall be chargeable.
For 2 or 3 drivers the fare is double or
treble respectively.
II.—In the Hill District.
Ten minutes..... 15 cents
Quarter hour..... 20
Half hour..... 30
One hour..... 40
Every subsequent hour..... 40
III.—In the New Territories.
By arrangement with the proprietors
through the Police.

CHAIRS.

I.—Lower Levels.
With 2 Drivers With 4 Beavers.
Ten minutes..... 10 cents
Quarter hour..... 15
Half hour..... 20
One hour..... 30
Every subsequent hour..... 30
II.—Hill District.
With 2 Drivers With 4 Beavers.
Ten minutes..... 15 cents
Quarter hour..... 20
Half hour..... 30
One hour..... 40
Every subsequent hour..... 40

UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELE
GRAPH COMPANY, LTD.

The following unclaimed telegrams
are lying at the office of The
Great Northern Telegraph Company
(Limited):—
Chong Hongkong Hotel, from Kobe.
Fowler Hongkong and Shanghai
Bank, from Shanghai.
Sato Seizo Nihon Yusen, from Kobe.
K. Yamada Hotel of Wai Wanchai,
from Kobe.
J. Eaton Hongkong Club, from
Shanghai.
Yin Yip Chung Ching Street, West
Point, from Tientsin.
Yan Ching 231 Queen's Road, from
Manila.
Mylyko, from Amoy.
Tin Lee 283 Queen's Road, from
Shanghai.
O'Shaughnessy, from Shanghai.
Kwong Loong Man Nam Mow, from
Shanghai.

N. LUND,
Actg. Superintendent.
Hongkong, 30th December, 1923.
EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRAL-
IAN & CHINA TELEGRAPH CO.
List of unclaimed telegrams lying in
E. E. Telegraph Office, Hongkong.
Hemmer, care Bank Asia, from
Shanghai.
Imitari, from Calcutta.
M. E. F. AIREY,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, 20th December, 1923.

C. E. WARREN & CO., LTD.

SANITARY ENGINEERS
MONUMENTALISTS

Offices and Godowns,
60, Wanchai Road, Hongkong.
Tel. Central No. 29.

JUST RECEIVED

A New Stock of
LOWDOWN FLUSH CLOSETS.
Nickel Plated, On Brass, Bath Room
Fittings—Soap Dishes, Tumbler Holders,
Tooth Brush Holders, Towel Racks, &c.
Opal Tumblers—Towel Racks—Mirrors
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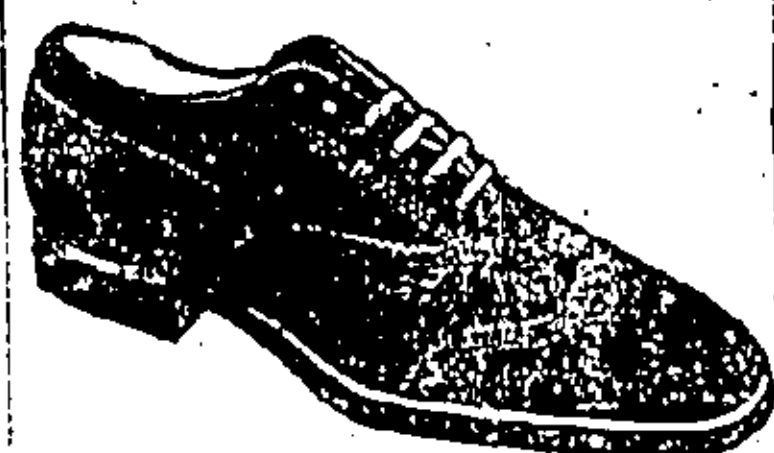
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knocked down and out, and a couple
of policemen set about bringing him
round. In loosening his clothes
they had to wade through four silk
shirts. He is still trying to persuade
authority that he was wearing them
because he was suffering with a
cold.

A burglar who was wanted by the
police had been photographed in six
different positions, and the pictures
were circulated among the police.
A few days later the inspector of a
country police station wrote to
headquarters, saying:
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six men whose capture is
desired. We have already caught
five of them; the last is under
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The World's Worst Break.

A negro in the States was brought
before a city judge on the ground of
disorderly conduct and pleaded not
guilty.

"You say you weren't doing any-
thing when this officer arrested
you?" asked the judge.

"Suttin'ly not, Yo' Honah," re-
plied the defendant. "Ah was jes'
walkin' down de 'street singin' a
little song at mahself when a big
Mick hit me on de jaw and den dis
big Irish cop pinches me."

"H'm," mused the judge, "what
were you singin'?"

"Ah was jes' singin' 'Ireland
mus' be Heaven fo' mah nudder
come from dere.'"

Snakes.

A Goodloe farmer had put his
coat and vest on a heap of debris
left by the floods of last year, and
proceeded to his work on the spot.
At lunch-time he threw the clothing
over his arm, and was walking away
when a big snake dropped out of the
bundle. This was killed, and he
was congratulating himself on his
escape when another snake fell out
and dropped at his feet. —Brisbane

Snakes are becoming very plenti-
ful in the Adelaide district. Prof.
Eichorn gathered a shirt full of
black and brown beauties within a

mile or two of his home. —Goulburn

"Hend!"
Shooting in the Virginia scrub, a
resident noticed his dog sniffing at
and jumping about a piece of bush.
He threw a stone there, and a
brown snake emerged, struck at his
leggings, and then reared up towards
his body. He stepped aside, and
when the snake came at him again,
blew its head off. —Adelaide
"Register."

True.

CAT ADOPTS BABBIT.
I brought home a young baby
rabbit thinking it would amuse our
year-old daughter. It was no use
to her so I tied it on our cat who
had that day become possessed of a
family of five. She licked it kindly
and the guest soon discovered where
the private bar was. After a few
days I lifted all the babies out of
their nest to watch what the cat
would do. She lifted up the bunny
first and carried it back to the
basket. After caressing it for a
while she went after the kittens. —
McCook.

WIRE FROM DEATH.

Some years ago at Dagworth Sta-
tion (N.T.) the manager sent a
jacketed out to a fencers camp with
a small coil of wire. He was
carrying it on his saddle with his
head through the coil. When near
the camp the horse bolted and as
the rider came off, stopped dead.
One of the fencers ran over and
found one of the wires fast round
the horse's hoof and a loop round
the man's neck. If the horse had
gone another twenty yards the man
would have been strangled. —J.D.
McD.

COCKROACHES DEFY TIME.

My dining room clock stopped,
and refused to go. A jeweller friend
had a look at it. Inside were three
live cockroaches, and tangled in their
coils and wheels the mutilated re-
mains of several others. —Pat
Bushie.

From Australia.

SLAUGHTER OF THE INNOCENTS.
The strangest diving freak ever
seen in Australia, or anywhere else,
was an abo, we had out West,
named Herod. Very intelligent, he
picked up a slight knowledge of the
submarine. The method of diving
and rising had him tickled to death,
and he applied the principle of it to
his profession. Disdaining to use
the stone, he would enter the water,
open his mouth until the weight of
the water swallowed caused him to
sink to the bottom, collect his
oysters, and, ejecting his water
ballast, shoot to the surface.

Several leading variety showmen
tried to secure him, but an encoun-
ter with a thresher shark put an end
to a promising career. —P.H.

SEMI-CLIMATIC.

"You blokes don't know what a
mean man is," said Barney, at the
end of the story. "Up our way
there's a Scotch-Jew carpenter, and
whenever he gets a splinter in his
hand, he leaves it there till he gets
home." (Pause.) "Well, what's
he do that for?" somebody asked.

"I'm goin' to tell yer," said Barney.
"As soon as he gets home with his
fistful over splinters, he gets across
to the wood box, and shies all the
picked-out splinters into it. 'More
chips for the cooper, Maggie,' says
he." —Trevdee.

TWO IN ONE.

Cuts put his gun in the corner
and asked for a cup of tea. "Just
gave a couple of hares to old Jimmy
Winfield—can't stand 'em meself.
Get 'em in a curious way. I'd run
out of shot, so dropped a lump of
beeswax on top of the powder for
luck. Half way across the reserve,
No. 1 hare comes straight at me.
I took a snap-shot, and he checked
and streaked at the broken fence.
Just as he jumped, something
jumped at him. There was a sharp
crack, and he fell kicking. I ran
up and found two hares—stone
dead, necks broken, heads stuck
together with the beeswax.
They'd met at full speed head-on."
—"Good Luck."

AN HONEST WORKER.

"Struth," said old Jack Justit,
"talk about strong men! You order
some cove wat wester work fer me.
Once I put 'im windin' up w' y'
cut or a big wheel. Th' bucket got
cut in the bottom, but he kept
on windin', an' turned that bloomin'
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One of Viscount Long's Liverpool
anecdotes of later years is amus-
ing. He was taking the chair at a
meeting in the Hope Hall, and
found that the timetable allotted
five minutes alike to him, to all
ex-mayors, and to a speaker who
was described as a young man who
had had a brilliant career at
Oxford.

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mayor and I faithfully adhered to
the programme, but the young
man from Oxford spoke for thirty-
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HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE.

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Club will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., Ltd. on THURSDAY the 10th January 1924, at 5 p.m.

The purposes for which the Meeting is called are:—

(a) To confirm the following resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on 12th December 1923:

1. That the Rules of Racing made by the Hongkong Jockey Club be amended by adding after Rule No. 11 the following:—
11a. After the Annual Race Meeting 1924 a China Pony is a horse measuring 13 hands 3 inches and under.

2. That the said Rules of Racing be amended by striking out Rule No. 77 and substituting the following:—

77. The weight for China Ponies shall be 140 pounds for 12 hands with an additional 3 pounds for every complete inch above that height. Fractions of an inch to count in favour of the Pony. Any Pony measuring 14 hands (fractions of an inch to count in favour of the Pony) and under shall be eligible to compete at the Annual Race Meeting in 1924 in any race reserved for China Ponies.

After the Annual Race Meeting in 1924, any China Pony which measures over 13 hands 3 inches, to be ineligible to compete in any race reserved for China Ponies (fractions of an inch over 13 hands 3 inches not to count).

77a. After the Annual Race Meeting 1924 the Stewards may refuse to accept the entry of any Pony which in their opinion is not a China Pony. They may, at their discretion, appoint a Committee of Inspection. The Stewards' decision shall be final.

3. That Rule No. 34 of the Rules and Regulations of the Hongkong Jockey Club be amended to read:—

34. The Stewards have power to draw up and settle the programme and fix the date or dates for any Race Meeting.

4. That Rule No. 75 of the Rules of Racing made by the Hongkong Jockey Club be unchanged.

(b) To propose a resolution adopting the revised Rules and Regulations of the Club as circulated to the Members in which the following new provisions have been made:—

1. For the division of the Members of the Club into Voting and Non-Voting or Ordinary Members.

2. For Lady Racing Members.

3. For the increase of the Entrance Fee to the Club.

4. For Visiting Members.

5. For the appointment of a Secretary.

6. For the alteration of the date upon which subscriptions are payable and other minor alterations.

By Order

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hongkong, January 2, 1924.

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THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

ANNUAL RACE MEETING 1924.

ENTRIES for the FORTHCOMING RACES close on SATURDAY, 19th instant at 3 p.m. and must be sent to the Jockey Club Rooms, 3A, Chater Road on this date.

Entry Forms are now ready and can be had at the Jockey Club Stables, the Jockey Club Rooms (Hongkong Club Annex, Chater Road) or Messrs. Linthead & Davis, Alexandra Buildings.

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FALL OF THE FRANC.

PARIS, January 5. The French electoral period opens to-morrow with the election of one-third of the Senate. But little interest is taken in it except as a forecast for the really decisive elections to the Chamber of Deputies in April.

The chief significance lies in the fact that the Parties of the Left have effected a combination, which has found a new weapon of attack on the National Bloc in the fall of the franc, which they attribute to the failure of M. Poincaré's financial and foreign policies.

It is asserted that French holders of francs are becoming uneasy, selling francs and buying sterling. On the other hand, the fall is attributed to foreign speculators selling francs to purchase dollars, and it is even asserted by the *Petit Parisien* that the fall is due to the operations on foreign exchanges decided on at a congress of German bankers at Frankfurt in November.

LOSS OF "DIXMUDE."

ROME, January 5. Advances from Sciacca, Sicily, state that French vessels carrying out dredging brought to the surface a quantity of wire and ropes believed to belong to the "Dixmude."

Crowds lined the streets during the impressive ceremony of the naval funeral accorded Commander Grenadon.

In the course of his funeral oration, the Minister of Marine declared that the loss of the "Dixmude" would not check the progress of aerial navigation.

VENIZELLOS IN GREECE.

ATHENS, January 5. Enthusiastic scenes were witnessed when M. Venizelos was elected President of the National Assembly.

"ORSOVA" AND "CHINA" IN GALE.

LONDON, January 5. The liners *Orsova*, from Australia, and the *China*, from India, experienced terrific weather in the Gulf of Lyons. Both vessels were compelled to heave to and were many hours late in reaching Toulon and Marseilles respectively, while they were a day late at Plymouth.

MEXICAN REBELLION.

MEXICO CITY, January 5. The Secretary of War denies that the Rebels have captured Tampico and the oil-fields of Vera Cruz.

The British cruiser *Cape Town* has arrived and departed for Tampico.

TANKS FOR ROYAL DUTCH CO.

THE HAGUE, January 5. The Royal Dutch Company is about to install forty-one large new tanks at Curacao, with a capacity of 1,268,000 barrels, to be ready in October.

OBITUARY.

PROFESSOR HAMBURGER. GRONINGEN, January 5. The death is announced of Professor Hamburger, the famous chemist.

AUSTRALIAN CRICKET.

MELBOURNE, January 5. Victoria in their first innings made 221, Ponsonford making 81. Whitty took 5 wickets for 49.

In their second innings Victoria made 357, Ponsonford scoring 159 by graceful and brilliant batting. He was at the wicket 3 hours and 33 minutes. Love made 105.

South Australia in their first innings made 309, Arthur Richardson scoring 144 and Victor Richardson 100. Liddell took 6 wickets for 62.

South Australia, in their second knock, made only 173. Hartley taking 5 wickets for 50 runs.

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

NEW JAPANESE MINISTRY.

TOKYO, January 5. The Kenkyukai Party this morning submitted to Viscount Kiyoura a tentative Cabinet as follows, which it is believed will be approved to-day:—

Minister of Home Affairs, Doctor Rentaro Mizuno.

Minister of Finance, Kazuyoshi Shoda.

Minister of War, General Masatomo Fukuda.

Minister of Navy, Admiral Kantaro Suzuki.

Minister of Justice, Mr. Kisaburo Suzuki (former Vice-Minister of Justice and now Procurator General).

Minister of Education, Mr. Senshi Egi.

Minister of Agriculture and Commerce, Viscount Toshitada (ex-Minister of Communications in the Kato Ministry).

Minister of Communications, Mr. Kenjiro Komatsu.

Minister of Railways, Count Venkichi Oki.

Minister of Foreign Affairs, Baron Yoshino Fujimura.

Baron Fujimura is a member of the business executive and a former director of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Shanghai and London.

Baron Fujimura has never held political office before but has been a member of the Upper House since 1918.

The tentative Cabinet will comprise Members of the Kenkyukai four; Minority Parties, four; without members of the War Ministry and Navy Ministry.

LATER. The Cabinet outlined this morning has been accepted. The installation will probably take place on Sunday.

LATER. Baron Matsui, ex-Ambassador to France, has accepted the Foreign Ministership.

LATER. Owing to strong opposition to Baron Fujimura, Viscount Kiyoura will hold the post of Premier for the present.

The fact that the Cabinet was definitely decided upon to-day shows that the Ministers for Home, Finance, Justice, Education, and Agriculture will be the same as already outlined.

Other members of the Cabinet are: Minister of War, General Issai Ugaki (at present Vice-Minister).

Minister of Navy, Admiral Kakuichi Murakami (Naval Counsellor).

Minister of Communications, Baron Yoshino Fujimura.

Minister of Railways, Mr. Kenjiro Komatsu.

JAPANESE MINERS ENTOMBED. SAPPORO, HOKAIDO, January 5. More than one hundred miners are entombed and many are believed to be dead as the result of a gas explosion in a coal mine at Utashina, near here. Nine are known to be dead and 12 fatally injured.

FIVE JUNKS PIKED. SHANGHAI, January 6. Messrs. Butterfield and Swire's steamer "Chungking" reports having picked up fourteen men, part of the crew of a junk, three miles off Tungsha.

The men reported that their junk and four others had been piked. Details are lacking.

WORLD OF SPORT.

HOME FOOTBALL.

LONDON, January 5. Following are the results of Saturday's Association matches:—

FIRST LEAGUE. Birmingham, 3; Tottenham, H., 2. Cardiff C., 0; Aston Villa, 2. Chelsea, 0; Arsenal, 0.

Everton, 2; Bolton W., 2. Huddersfield T., 1; Blackburn R., 0.

Middlesbro', 0; Sheffield U., 1. Newcastle U., 4; Nottingham F., 0.

Preston N.E., 5; Burnley, 0. West Brom. A., 2; Manchester City, 1.

West Ham U., 1; Liverpool, 9. SCOTTISH LEAGUE. Hibernians, 1; Falkirk, 0.

Motherwell, 2; Ardronians, 1. Partick T., 2; Morton, 0.

Queen's Park, 3; Kilmarnock, 1. St. Mirren, 3; third Lanark, 1.

Aberdeen, 2; Hearts, 1. Ayr United, 2; Rangers, 1.

Celtic, 1; Hamilton A., 0. Clydebank, 2; Clyde, 1.

Dundee, 1; Ralsh Rovers, 1. NEW YEAR'S DAY AMENDED RESULTS. Following are the amended Scottish League results of matches played on January 5:—

Motherwell, 3; Hamilton, 1. Partick T., 2; Lanark (unplayed).

Ralsh R., 2; Clyde, 1. St. Mirren, 3; Kilmarnock, 1.

Ardronians, 4; Falkirk, 1.

Ayr, 1; Morton, 0.

Celtic, 2; Rangers, 2.

Dundee, 1; Aberdeen, 1.

Hearts, 1; Hibernians, 1.

MAIL WEEK NEWS.

ITEMS FROM FAR AND NEAR.

Arqued just in time, a man saved his five sleeping children from a destructive fire in Fanny-street, Cardiff.

Part of the London-Norwich main road running through Thetford subsided into an old chalk working ten feet deep.

Glasgow Corporation has decided to present Sir Thomas Lipton with the freedom of the city on his return from America.

Nottingham is to have its first Labour Sheriff this year in Mr. A. Judd, manager of the local Co-operative Society.

London County Hall has the largest automatic private branch telephone exchange in the country, with 700 extensions.

Belgian police have rounded up a gang of alleged international crooks suspected of diamond and bank robberies and the murder of a money-changer.

To celebrate the twenty-fifth year of Queen Wilhelmina's reign, Dutch residents in London held a garden party at the Royal Botanic Gardens.

The first annual rally of the National Cadet Corps, Kent and Sussex Scouts, and Church Lads' Brigade was held at Withyham Grange, Sussex.

Postmen have been informed that they must make their shakos last eighteen months instead of twelve months, and their overcoats last three years instead of two years.

The International Cotton Federation reports that of last year's crop nearly a million more bales were used than of that of 1921. The consumption of American cotton declined.

The Admiralty harbour has been handed over to the Dover Harbour Board for commercial use. The harbour, which cost \$25,000,000, incloses 610 acres, and played a notable part during the war. It was constructed between 1901 and 1908.

Night flying service between Paris and London will be subsidised by the British Government. It will be inaugurated as a development of the air mail idea and is advocated by postal officials. The machines will each carry two magnesium flares on the wing tips which can be lighted at will.

Capt. Lowell H. Smith and Lieut. John P. Richter, army aviators stationed at Rockwell Field, demonstrated the feasibility of refueling planes in mid-air on cross-country flights. They flew from the Canadian to the Mexican border, 1290 miles, in 12 hours and 13 minutes, re-fueling three times en route, and are planning a trans-continental non-stop re-fueling flight.

The shipping board has reconsidered its decision to place 100 ships of the tied-up fleet in the Cuban trade to transport sugar to the United States this year. The cost of placing the ships in commission and the short time available for preparation, the board announced, made it impossible to carry out the plan. A study will be made, however, with a view to entering the trade at some future date.

Railroads loaded 1,084,458 cars with revenue freight during the week ending October 13, or 4,768 cars more than were loaded the week before, the car service division of the American Railway Association reports. Though below those of other weeks earlier in the year, which has so far showed a record-breaking volume of traffic, this figure is still far above the loadings of corresponding October weeks in previous years.

Transfer of all authority in governmental merchant marine activities to the immediate control of a member of the President's Cabinet, and the abolition of the shipping board, are recommended by J. Harry Mull, president and general manager of the William Cramp Shipbuilding Company, as steps necessary in solving the shipping problems of the Nation and stabilizing the American flag permanently on the seas.

The mayor of Toronto, G. A. McGuire, one of the delegates to attend the Great Lakes Harbour Association at Milwaukee, stated on his return that he felt steps would be taken to stop the diversion of water from the Great Lakes by the Chicago Drainage Canal. Several states and over 800 private individuals have suits pending in United States courts against the Chicago Sanitary Drainage District, and Canada, the Mayor stated, may be invited to enter the legal fight and back them up.



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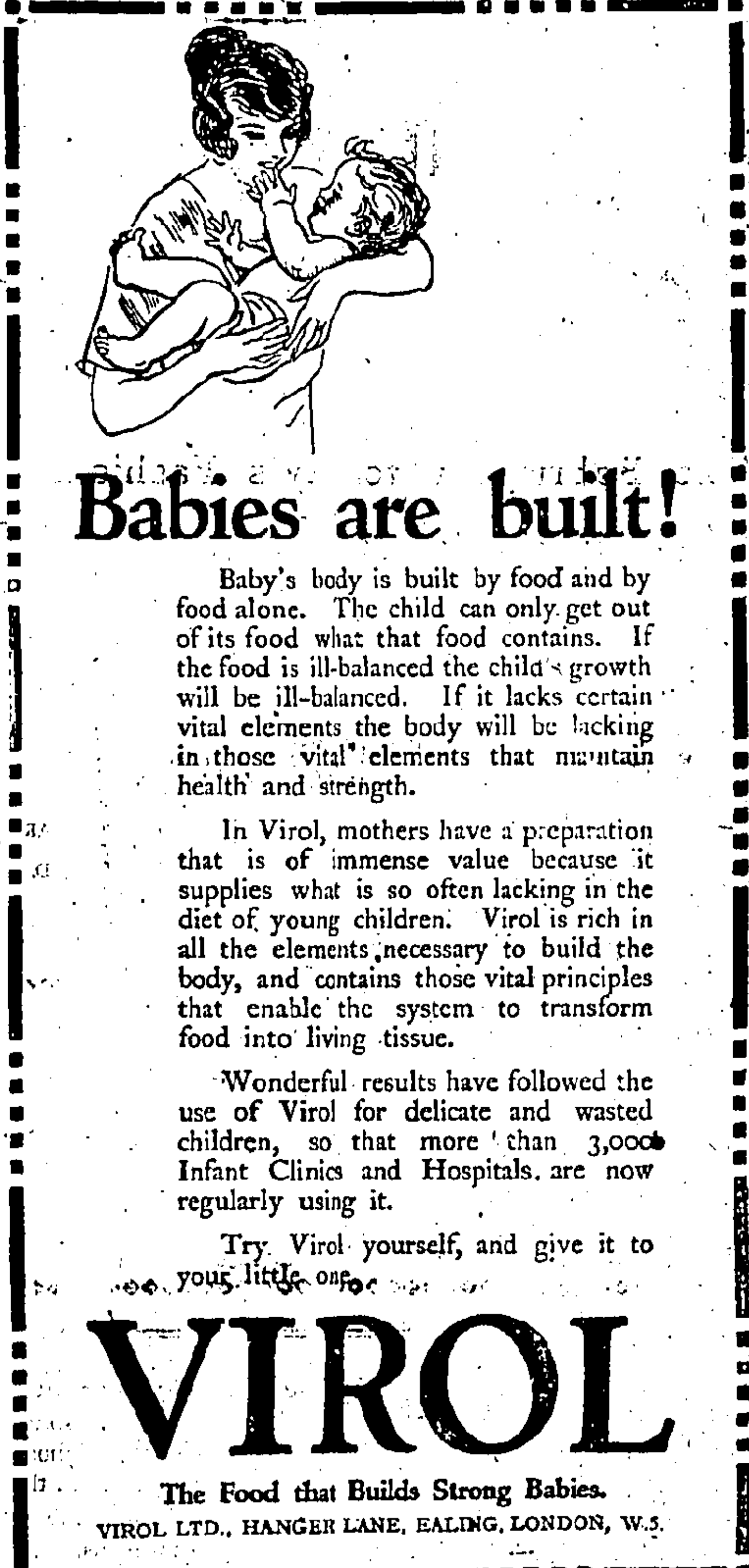
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TWO ASSETS.

Courage and determination are two of man's greatest assets. The best that is in one can never be brought out through the medium of prosperity. The manner in which a man recovers from failure or misfortune stands as an index of the resourcefulness and courage with which he may be endowed. In every human being there are two spirits: the dauntless, firm, aggressive spirit, and the weak, submissive spirit. The one pushes over and over despite obstacles; the other has a tendency to cause one to submit, to yield, to give way. The first stands for victory; the second for defeat. It is hard to meet adversity with a smile. We are cheerful and optimistic when everything goes along smoothly, but when adversity overtakes us there arises within most of us the inclination to submit, to give in; but he who fights, he who combats that temptation, he who meets it with a grim determination to stand is the one who will surely win. The older we become the more experience we have in the ups and downs of life. What we need above all things when struggling in the midst of adversity is confidence and hope. They are the safeguards of life; they are the things that will sustain and

encourage, no matter how great the material loss or personal sorrow. Confidence and hope are neighbours in recuperative powers. With these assets in our bosoms new life will continually spring up in us. Misfortune is the test of a man's worth. We all know that it is useless to pretend that some of the blows we receive in life do not hurt—they do hurt, some of them very severely, but man shows himself just what he is when he displays the patience and the high spirit which are needed to stand them. When we are able to emerge with new hope from the crucible of misfortune and failure then it is that we really prove ourselves real men and women. If we care to search for examples there are numberless careers of great men and women which stand forth illustriously. Because we fail to reach the heights to which we aspire does not imply that our ability and resourcefulness are exhausted. The old, possibly puckered, "If at first you don't succeed . . ." is as timely and meaningful to-day as it was when it was first given expression. Confidence is nothing more or less than optimism. The world seen through glasses of optimism must always appear bright despite the gloom of overhanging shadows.

An Alternative.

Mr. Compton Mackenzie in his latest effort, "The Parson's Progress," makes his principal character ponder on the question of the

alternative to capital punishment in the following words:—

"But what should be substituted for capital punishment? Solitary confinement for life? No, let the murderers of the world be placed by the world upon some island or in some remote territory. . . . Let some islands of which the original inhabitants had been murdered by tuberculosis, alcohol, and rifles, serve for the murderers of the world. Let their women go with them, if they would, into exile, and let a company of priests devote themselves to their spiritual service, seeking to raise that society of outcasts once more to the right of human fellowship. . . ."

We have here this suggested that capital punishment has not been a deterrent to crime involving capital punishment and that the times called for new ideas and new alternatives to the procedure which now exists. Think of the array of forces organized against a criminal, the lawyer, the journalist, the Judge, the jury—whilst his entrance into life is the concern only of an indifferent few. Mr. Compton Mackenzie's solution is at least worth trying. There are numbers of "open spaces" in the world crying out for the foot of man, and these could be utilised for the purposes of reclamation and repentance.

We are assured by our ARMS. C.S.P. that our police are as well armed as the desperate men who tempt dame fortune at the muzzle's mouth. We shall refer to the matter in due course giving particulars.

What the Lord Chief Work. Justice urged at the prizegiving of Whitgift Grammar School, Croydon, regarding the dignity of labour, deserves a world-wide audience. He said, in part:—

"Don't be afraid of work; I beg of you to believe that you can't work too hard. One of the prevailing doctrines of the time is that people come into the world to have a good time. There is no greater heresy than the opinion that we came into the world for that purpose. . . ."

Realise your ideas; turn your abstracts into concrete; be honest with your own mind; do not think that you understand something when you had understood it, and do not go on to the next point until you have mastered the first.

If his auditors had appreciated the importance of what he said, that prizegiving day will constitute an important landmark in the experience of some of those present.

TABLE MANNERS. Never blow tea leaves back into your cup. What is the floor for?

Always insist on your host helping himself first. You needn't be frightened—decency demands that he shall leave you plenty. Never pick a fish bone out of your teeth with your fingers. Use your fork.

Courtesy is a widely-known but little-understood word, says The Falcon. "Treating a customer like a rich uncle, so that you may extract his coin in not-courtesy—that's foresight."

"Offering a seat to a man who enters your office is not courtesy—that's duty."

"Listening to the grumbings, growlings and groanings of a bore without remonstrance is not courtesy—that's forbearance."

"Helping a pretty girl across the street, holding her umbrella, carrying her parcels—none of these are courtesy. The first two are pleasures, and the last is politeness."

"Courtesy is doing that which nothing under the sun but human kindness makes you do. Courtesy springs from the heart; if the mind prompts the action, there is a reason; if there is a reason, it is not courtesy, for courtesy has no reason. Courtesy is good will, and good will is prompted by the heart full of love to be kind."

Mike reckons Australia is the best country in the world. "Shure and O'm gettin' fifteen bob a day for doin' phwat O'd do for nothin' home in Orland."

"An' phwat's that?" asked Casey. "Pullin' down a Protestant church," was the reply.

FREE SPEECH. William Allen White, the well-known editor of Emporia, Kansas, received the Pulitzer prize for the best editorial published during 1933-23. It was a short leader called "To An Anxious Friend."

Mr. White in the following language gives a splendid defence for free speech:—"You tell me that law is above freedom of utterance. And I reply that you can have no wise laws nor free enforcement of wise laws unless there is free expression of the wisdom of the people—and, alas, their folly, with it. But

if there is freedom, folly will die of its own poison, and the wisdom will survive. That is the history of the race. It is the proof of man's kinship with God. You say that freedom of utterance is not for time of stress, and I reply with the sad truth that only in time of stress is freedom of utterance in danger. . . . Whoever pleads for justice helps to keep the peace; and whoever triumphs upon the plea of justice, temporarily made in the name of peace, only outrages peace, and kills something fine in the heart of man which God put there when we got our manhood. When that is killed brute meets brute on each side of the line."

"So, dear friend, put fear out of your heart. This nation will arrive, this State will prosper, the orderly business of life will go forward if only men can speak in whatever way given them to utter what their hearts hold—by voice, by posted card, by letter, or by press. Reason never has failed man. Only force and repression have made the wrecks in the world."

William, Prince of Orange, was shot in the Netherlands.

Dunstan attempted to practise cellibacy, but in this he was only partially successful.

Greece is "the juice out of fat." A cow is higher at the back than at the front to keep the milk out of the mud.

He who gives grudgingly shall be taught better by adversity.

The man who neither gives in charity nor enjoys his wealth, breathes, indeed, like the bellows of a smith; but cannot be said to live. Those men are wise who do not desire the unattainable, who do not love to mourn over what is lost, and are not overwhelmed by calamities.

The fool who knows his foolishness is wise so far at least; but a fool who thinks himself wise, he is called a fool indeed.

True happiness is a sane mind in a sound body. A man seeking for eternal happiness might obtain it for a hundredth part of the sufferings which a foolish man endures in the pursuit of riches.

Whence comes happiness? From tranquillity and self-control. Men without self-restraint drift before their passions like rudderless boats before the wind.

"What does 'honesty' mean?" asked young Ike. "Vell," Mr. Ismaels replied, "it is difficult to explain. But if I cashed a cheque for fifty pounds for the business, and I got sixty pounds in mistake, and I gave my partner five pounds, that would be honesty."

Sir Basil Thomson, late Assistant Commissioner of Scotland Yard, tells a story about a certain incident at the Admiralty after the Battle of Jutland in his book "Queer People."

The editor of a certain daily newspaper called on an officer of the Admiralty and said, "We are not satisfied with Admirals Jellicoe and Beatty."

"Who is 'we'?" asked the officer.

"The public," "Oh," said the naval officer, "then you are one of those people who, if you had lived a hundred years ago, would have said, 'Who's that one-eyed, one-armed beggar in charge of our Fleet? Have him out!' Now, look here, supposing you and I had a row in this room, and you knocked my teeth out, and I kicked you out of that door and you stood cursing in the passage, not daring to come in, would you say you had won a victory?"

BUSINESS methods are once again in vogue at Government House and the engagements of His Excellency and Lady Stubbs are chronicled, as they should be, for all the world to know. We imagine these are but a tithe of the engagements entered into and kept by Sir Reginald and Lady Stubbs, whose time must also be eaten up by telephone calls, interviews, and the thousand and one things that come into the lives of those placed in positions of responsibility and dignity. That those responsibilities are carried out with a quiet unobtrusiveness, and a high sense of duty, is well known. We can only wish the present occupants of Government House continued strength and health to meet the engagements which crowd in upon them.

FALLACIES. There is the fallacy that George Washington was a boy, cut down a cherry tree belonging to his father, and that the latter told him he would rather have him (George) cut down 10,000 trees than tell one lie.

The story of the hatchet and the cherry tree and similar tales are quite apocryphal, having been coined by Washington's most popular biographer, Weems.

Nothing is known of Washington's childhood, notwithstanding the many stories which have gathered about his name.

Another one concerns the fall of the apple.

That the fall of an apple suggested to Newton his theory of Gravitation, and that having got the idea of Universal Gravitation in 1685, he did not publish it till 1687, because in making some calculations he had used wrong data concerning the size and the mass of the earth, and waited until he obtained better data.

Gauss, the great mathematician, said "The history of the apple is too absurd." What undoubtedly happened was this: There comes to Newton a stupid importunate man, who asks him how he hit upon his great discovery. When Newton had convinced himself what a noodle he had to do with, and wanted to get rid of the man, he told him that an apple fell on his nose; and this made the matter quite clear to the man, and he went away satisfied.

It is a fallacy that Asop wrote "Asop's Fables," because none of Asop's works are extant.

It is a fallacy that Dick Turpin rode from London to York within twenty hours and that he did so on a horse named Black Bess. The famous ride from London to York, generally attributed to Turpin, was in all probability accomplished by another highwayman, Nopson, who having committed a robbery at Gad's Hill, at 4 a.m., appeared at York the same evening at 7.45 p.m., thereby establishing an alibi.

To-day's Poem.

(Time, You Villain!)
Time, lay aside that scythe of yours
And put the hour-glass down.
You have been sent to spare the bores
That plague this groaning town;
You spare the horse and take instead
The brightest souls God made
Oh, shew upon your old white head
Why don't you learn your trade!
—KODAK.

WEATHER CALENDAR

JANUARY 7.

1777. That I am at all recovered is a prodigy in such weather: perhaps the gait is frozen, and my pains may return on a thaw.—Walpole.

1861. This is certainly not a winter House—but I never felt such cold-weather here before. The Fountain on the Terrace is lovely with fringes of long icicles hanging from it. The Queen now wears a modified cap in Fells or Crepe.—Lady Caroline Barrington.

NOT TO BE CREATED.

A certain quantity of art-intellect is born annually in every nation, greater or less according to the nature and cultivation of the nation, or race of men; but a perfectly quantity annually, not increaseable by one grain. You may lose it, or you may gather it; you may let it lie loose in the ravine, and buried in the sands, or you may make King's thrones of it, and overlay temple gates with it, as you choose; but the best you can do with it is always merely sitting, melting, hammering, purifying—never creating.
—RUSKIN.

SHADOWS BEFORE.

Coming Events Advertised
In The Mail.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

January 7.—Coronet Theatre; "Uncharted Seas."
January 7.—Star Theatre; "Legally Dead."
January 7.—World Theatre; "The Self-Made Wife."
January 7.—The Grand Theatre; "The Midnight Guest."
January 24.—Fancy Dress Ball at Peak Club, 9.15 p.m.
January 12.—Theatre Royal, H.K. Boxing Assn.'s third tournament of the season, at 9.15 p.m.
January 8.—Lammert Bros., household furniture, at No. 3, Peak Road, 2.30 p.m.
January 9.—Lammert Bros., at Sales Rooms, Postage Stamps, 5.15 p.m.
OTHER MEETINGS.
January 7.—Hongkong Boy Scouts Assn. meeting at Peak Club, 6 p.m.
January 10.—Hongkong Jockey Club, extraordinary general meeting, in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co., at 5 p.m.

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[To the Editor of the "China Mail."]

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Such a contribution to our funds is exceedingly welcome and helpful, and timely, withal, and calls for special acknowledgment, and the Council of these Homes will be very much obliged if you will accord them the courtesy of your columns to express their deep gratitude to Mrs. Jackson and the other ladies who lent their aid in connection with this effort.

The organisers of the Sale are to be warmly congratulated on the splendid success which they have achieved, and they have the joy and satisfaction of knowing that they have assisted in very material fashion this work on behalf of the Nation's destitute children at a time when funds are urgently needed.

The amount named does not represent the whole of the proceeds of the Sale, as we understand that a balance is to follow as soon as the accounts have been finally made up.

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CLAUDE WRIGHT,
General Secretary.

London, November 29.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Lighting-up time to-day is at 5.54 p.m.

Exchange on London is 2/4; on Shanghai 70½.

Nineteen cases of small-pox were notified during the week-end.

The annual sports of the Central British School are to be held on Thursday.

The annual distribution of prizes in connection with the Saiyungpun School is to take place on the 24th inst.

Letters dealing with Piracy regulations and the Rugby Inter-port Selection team will be found in this issue of the China Mail.

A fast hockey game took place on Friday on the U.S.R.C. ground at Kowloon between the Club and the 102nd Grenadiers, resulting in a substantial victory for the former by 7 goals to 2.

During the week which has been interrupted by the Christmas and New Year Holidays, business in the local shares market has continued quiet, but at the close there is a distinctly better feeling and several stocks show a marked appreciation, viz., Cements, China Providents, Hongkong Ropes and China Lights. The Shanghai Market for "Cotton" and "Docks" is practically unchanged. The Singapore Market for Rubber Shares is dull and quotations are unchanged. The raw material is quoted in Singapore at 48½ cents per lb.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Sir Robert and Lady Ho Tung arrived this morning by the s.s. "Paul Lecat."

Mrs. Oxspring and the Rev. T.B. Powell were passengers on the "Mentor," which arrived to-day.

TO SECRETARIES OF CLUBS AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

All preliminary notices of forthcoming meetings, lectures and entertainments, sent for insertion in the news columns of the China Mail, are charged for at the rate of \$1 each, (as announced in May and June of 1922) providing that they do not occupy more than four lines. In future if this space is exceeded they will be placed in the advertising columns at the prevailing rates.

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CURIOUS ASSAULT.

ALLEGED TRESPASSER
ROUGHLY HANDLED.

Discovery by a Sanitary coolie of a Chinese in a weakened condition, near one of the railway embankments has brought to light a story of what appears to have been an assault by a number of coolies on a man who is alleged to have entered their marshes with the intention of stealing. Reading between the lines of the police reports, it seems that the coolies are accused of having taken the law into their hands, in administering severe chastisement to a man who trespassed on their premises and whom they, in turn, accuse of stealing their property.

When the man was found he told the Sanitary coolie that he had fallen over the embankment and that his injuries were due to his fall. In the hands of the police, the man made admissions which led to inquiries. Examined by Dr. Moore, he had the appearance of having had a rough time and after admission to hospital he had to undergo an operation.

This morning, nine Chinese were charged with assault before Mr. J. K. Wood, when they all made a denial of the affair. Detective Inspector T. Murphy, outlining the case to His Worship, said that the first two had been pointed out by the alleged trespasser at the hospital. The other seven, went of their own accord and were also accused in a general way, for being responsible for his injuries, the third man having been pointed out as the one who caused the injuries to complainant's head. As to what happened before the alleged assault, Inspector Murphy was of the opinion that the injured man had stolen a basket of clothing from the Tung Yick contractor's mated at Ma Tau Wai, near the new hospital site. The inmates had been alarmed and had recovered their basket.

It was also stated that the man's condition was so serious that Mr. E. W. Hamilton had had to take his depositions. On the application of Mr. C.A.S. Russ, for the defence, bail was allowed in the sum of \$100 for the first two defendants and \$50 for the others, one of whom is employed at the Sang Lee mated. The case was then remanded till next Monday.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS.

WEEK-END MISCELLANY.

The China Mail is informed that Revenue Officer Pearce had an accident whilst out on his motor cycle on the Castle Peak Road during the week-end. Fortunately, Mr. Pearce was not seriously injured, although we understand that the front guard of the cycle has been slightly dented.

Near the Cement Works yesterday, a Chinese boy twelve years of age, was fatally injured. He was playing in the road with two other boys who ran for safety on the approach of Motor Bus No. 948 which was on a trip from Kowloon City to Hunghom. The deceased attempted to follow but ran into the bus and was run over.

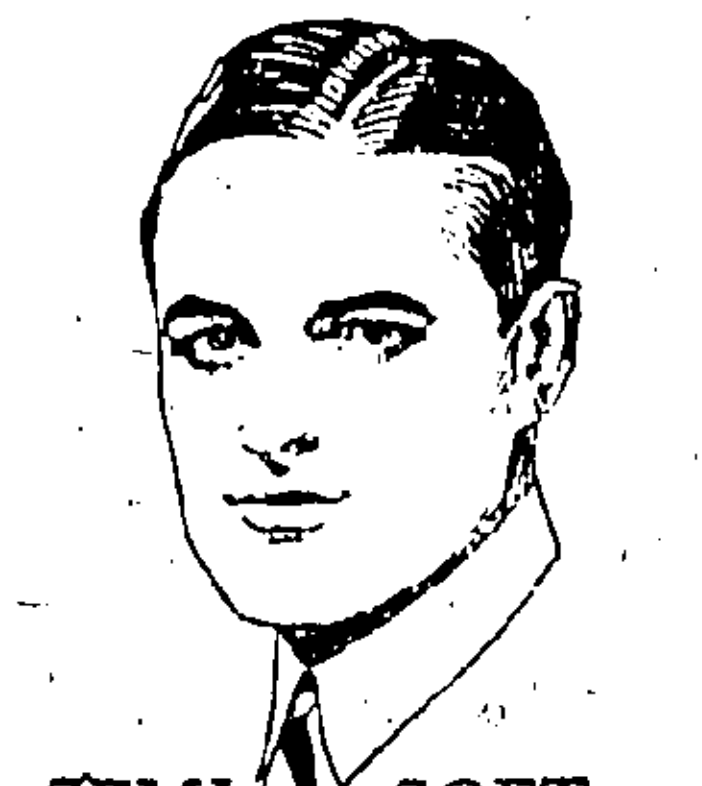
Motor-car No. 606, owned by Dr. S. C. Ho of No. 15, Kennedy Road was in an accident at Queen's Road West near Centre Street yesterday. Driven by the chauffeur, it accidentally knocked over a Chinese boy, who was not seriously injured. Then on Saturday, an old beggar woman was knocked down and injured by an earth trolley. She was taken to hospital for treatment.

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SATURDAY'S CRICKET.**FIRST LEAGUE.****CRAIGENGOWER v. UNIVERSITY.**University first eleven had no
difficulty in defeating Craigengower
at Happy Valley. The home team
were dismissed for 122. Balhetchet
taking 5 wickets for 32 runs. With
most of their batsmen coming off,
the Varsity had knocked up 218 for
6 wickets when stumps were drawn.
Quick ratched the half-century and
Balhetchet was 40 not out.

Scores:—

CRAIGENGOWER.

D. Fritz, b Balhetchet..... 2

P. E. Lawrence, b Quick..... 2

B. W. Bradbury, l.b.w. Balhetchet..... 21

T. Grimes, b Balhetchet..... 16

H. J. Dennis, b Balhetchet..... 3

H. G. White, c Hachima, b

Rumjahn..... 18

G. W. Milne, c Isonby-
Fane, b Balhetchet..... 13

Y. Abbas, c and b Rumjahn..... 13

R. Basu, c Hoffer, b Balhetchet..... 12

W. Moss, run out..... 12

D. McKintosh, not out..... 12

Extras..... 12

Total..... 122

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Balhetchet..... 13 3 32 5

Quick..... 4 0 22 1

Rumjahn..... 6 3 0 39

Hett..... 2 0 17 0

UNIVERSITY.

A. A. Rumjahn, c White, b

Milne..... 29

Yeow Tuck-on, l.b.w. Milne..... 28

Rev. E. K. Quick, c and b Milne..... 5

A. S. Hett, c White, b Fritz..... 7

H. N. Balhetchet, not out..... 46

M. H. Hoffer, retired..... 31

Ng Bow-poo, c and b Abbas..... 2

Extras..... 15

Total (for 6 wickets)..... 218

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

W. Gittins, D. Loring, R. A.

Pon-onby-Fane, S. Hachima did

not bat.

SECOND LEAGUE.

R.E. v. UNIVERSITY 2ND XI.

Good bowling was the principal

factor which gave the Royal Engi-

neers another victory on Saturday.

This time, they beat the Varsity

2nd XI, 91 runs. The University

scored very slowly and were all out

for 58 runs. Jacob (5 wickets for

21) did most of the damage. There

was a different aspect when the

league leaders went in to bat.

Scores:—

UNIVERSITY 2ND XI.

J. L. Youngs, c Smith, b

Goodman..... 8

C. A. Peterson, run out..... 0

C. W. Lam, b Jacob..... 11

H. Y. Lam, c Butterworth, b

Cockell..... 4

M. A. Kyum, c Brown, b Jacob..... 16

H. Y. Leong, b Jacob..... 3

V. F. Viccajee, c Smith, b Good-

man..... 2

B. N. F. Sudan, l.b.w. Jacob..... 0

A. T. M. Barua, c Jacob, b

Goodman..... 3

W. H. Sang, b Jacob..... 1

F. Hiptoola, not out..... 0

Extras..... 10

Total..... 58

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Jacob..... 13 3 21 5

Goodman..... 6 0 17 3

Cockell..... 3 2 2 1

Winter..... 5 0 8 0

R.E.

Major Gandy, c C. Lam, b

Youngs..... 18

Capt. Chippendale, b Youngs..... 12

Col. Butterworth, c Sling, b

Sudan..... 18

Q.M.S. Ramsey, c Viccajee, b

C. Lam..... 4

Q.M.S. Smith, c Hiptoola, b

Peterson..... 32

Sgt. Brown, st. Sling, b

Youngs..... 31

Sgt. Cockell, c C. W. Lam, b

Youngs..... 2

Sgt. Hamblin, not out..... 5

Q.M.S. Jacob, b Sudan..... 4

L. Sgt. Winter, b Youngs..... 4

Sgt. Goodman, c Hiptoola, b

Peterson..... 4

Extras..... 10

Total..... 140

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Youngs..... 10 0 49 15

Peterson..... 10 0 35 12

C. W. Lam..... 4 0 24 1

B. N. Sudan..... 4 3 0 18

CIVIL SERVICE 2ND XI v.

NAVY 2ND XI.

This was a bowlers' match, won

by the Navy for whom Hoopell

took 5 wickets for 10 runs and

Bladen 4 wickets for 3 runs. Sara

came out with the best return for

the losers, taking 7 wickets for 73

runs.

Scores:—

C. Sara, c Hoopell, b Hoopell..... 4

W. Cullip, c Slayden, b Hoopell..... 3

R. Harper, c Gregory, b Hoopell..... 24

A. Grimmett, b Hoopell..... 6

E. W. Hamilton, b Sladen..... 5

H. J. Pearce, b Sladen..... 1

R. C. Bruce, b Sladen..... 0

J. Gregory, b Hoopell..... 5

C. Evans, c Harris, b Sladen..... 2

R. Smith, b Hoopell..... 0

H. Westlake, not out..... 0

Extras..... 4

Total..... 48

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Hoopell..... 9 2 10 5

Hogg..... 7 2 22 1

Sladen..... 1 3 0 3 4

NAVY.

Lt. Simpson, b Grimmett..... 11

Lt. Hughes, b Sara..... 9

Com. Brooksmith, b Grimmett..... 10

Lt. Harris, b Sara..... 31

Lt. Com. Ramsbottom, c Cullip,

b Sara..... 30

Pay-Lt. Com. Worthington, b

Smith..... 13

Pay-Lt. Hogg, c Cullip, b Sara..... 10

Pay-Lt. Gregory, l.b.w. Sara..... 10

Mid. Sladen, c Cullip, b Sara..... 8

Com. Clayton, b Sara..... 0

Eng. Com. Hoopell, not out..... 1

Extras..... 9

Total..... 143

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Sara..... 12 4 0 72 7

Grimmett..... 10 0 48 2

Smith..... 2 0 14 1

KOWLOON 2ND XI v. INDIANS

2ND XI.

Playing at home, the Kowloon

second string lost to the Indians.

H. D. Rumjahn's 72 not out enabled

the visitors to declare at 153 for 5

wickets. The earlier Kowloon bats-

men seemed likely to put up a fight

but the tail did not wag.

Scores:—

I.B.C. 2ND XI.

M. P. Madar, b Fraser..... 17

H. D. Rumjahn, not out..... 72

J. Hassar, c Raven, b Overy..... 6

D. Rumjahn, b Savage..... 21

A. Kitchell, b Howell..... 1

J. A. Wahab, b Bawa..... 32

Extras..... 4

Total (for 5 wickets)..... 153

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Sirdar Kahn, R. Nazarin, A. H.

Samy, J. Currinbhooy and A. A.

Luzack did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

B. Petheram..... 11 1 32 0

J. Fraser..... 7 1 25 1

H. Overy..... 5 1 14 1

A. Raven..... 3 0 30 0

F. Howell..... 6 1 31 1

E. Savage..... 6 2 29 1

A. O. Brown..... 2 0 6 1

E.C.C. 2ND XI.

F. W. Howell, b H. D. Rumjahn..... 12

A. O. Brown, b J. Currinbhooy..... 16

A. R. F. Raven, b Kitchell..... 12

J. Fraser, b Kitchell, b Currin-

bhooy..... 21

B. Petheram, c H. D. Rumjahn,

b Currinbhooy..... 37

E. J. Edwards, b Kitchell..... 6

C. Savage, c Sirdar Kahn, b

Madar..... 3

A. J. Kew, b H. D. Rumjahn..... 8

D. S. Green, c Wahab, b H. D.

Rumjahn..... 0

H. Overy, not out..... 0

J. C. Long, b H. D. Rumjahn..... 0

Extras..... 6

Total..... 118

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

H. D. Rumjahn..... 11 2 2 25 4

Sirdar Kahn..... 5 0 16 0

J. Currinbhooy..... 6 0 32 3

A. Kitchell..... 4 0 26 2

M. P. Madar..... 3 0 13 1

H.K.C.C. MATCH.

Following are the scores in the

H.K.C.C. match, "Married v.

Single."

Scores:—

SINGLE.

C. R. Baron, c Donnelly, b Sayer..... 3

D. G. Nicholson, b Donnelly..... 49

H. Owen Hughes, b Reed..... 10

R. E. A. Webster, b Donnelly..... 12

G. R. More, b Griffin..... 18

A. V. T. Dean, b Donnelly..... 16

G. H. Piercy, not out..... 31

E. G. England, c Hollands, b

Reed..... 23

A. V. Mark, not out..... 0

Extras..... 19

Total (for 7 wickets)..... 181

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

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YACHTING.

SUNDAY'S TEAM RACE.

SASSENACH HELMSMEN'S NARROW VICTORY.

The "Scotland versus England" idea which is gradually asserting itself in most branches of sport in Hongkong penetrated into the realm of Yachting yesterday with the result that a very enjoyable sailing fixture ended with a narrow triumph for the Sassenachs.

The weather was dull but there was a consistently fresh breeze from the East. Two races were sailed, the morning one at 11 o'clock being from the Club house line to Channel Rocks (P) thence to Kowloon Rock (P), mark boat on Clubline, mark boat at Kowloon Dock Point, mark boat at Kowloon Dock Point, mark boat at Kowloon Dock Point.

The finish was at the Club-house line, the distance being six miles. On this occasion the Gaeles and Heyward-Hoyes competed on level terms, but the honours went to the latter class. Adanac once more proved herself to be an exceptionally fast craft and in the hands of Mr. Shields beat Gladys by 43 seconds. Joan of the Gaeles, sailed by Capt. Arthur, came in sixth, but Pierette, her class companion, was last by a few seconds. The finishes were all good and the competition keen. St. Andrew's were leading by two points on the morning race.

Following fifteen at the Clubhouse, the second race began at 2 p.m. For this the start and finish were at the Yacht Club and the course was by way of Channel Rocks, Cust Rock Buoy, Clubline mark boat and Channel Rocks. All points were passed on the port hand. The distance was seven and a half miles. The wind still held strongly but was a bit lighter than in the morning. There was a fine start and "Adanac" with Rouse at the tiller, starting off with the leeward billet, led the rest of the fleet all the way and again came in a good first. Pierce was next in "Boojum" and Cock secured third place in "Belinda." Thus the representatives of St. George's Society were able to defeat St. Andrew's helmsmen by the small margin of two points.

Results.

Detailed results follow:—

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY: MORNING RACE.

Finishing Time.	Position	Points.
Spray (Mr. Rouse) 12 14	52	4
Gladys (Mr. Pearce) 12 11	55	2
Winifred (Mr. Cock) 12 12	36	3
Ursula (Mr. Hodgson) 12 17	8	9
Pierette (Mr. Adams) 12 17	45	10
Total.....		27

AFTERNOON RACE.

Sealark (Mr. Adams).....	4 39 59	2
Belinda (Mr. Cock).....	4 45 2	8
Joan (Mr. Hodgson).....	4 43 20	6
Boojum (Mr. Pearce).....	4 45 35	9
Adanac (Mr. Rouse).....	4 39 8	11
Total.....		30

Grand Total.....

57

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY: MORNING RACE.

Adanac (Mr. Shields).....	12 11 13	1
Sealark (Mr. Sutherland).....	12 15 31	7
Belinda (Mr. Henderson).....	12 15 12	5
Joan (Capt. Arthur).....	12 15 16	6
Boojum (Mr. Blair).....	12 16 15	8
Total.....		29

AFTERNOON RACE.

Pierette (Capt. Arthur).....	4 49 54	10
Ursula (Mr. Blair).....	4 42 49	5
Winifred (Mr. Henderson).....	4 40 13	3
Spray (Mr. Shields).....	4 44 51	7
Gladys (Mr. Sutherland).....	4 41 5	4
Total.....		35

Grand total 55

SCOTS WIN AT BOWLS.

An international bowls match which took place while the second race was being sailed was won fairly easily by the St. Andrew's representatives. The scores were:—

ST. ANDREW'S	ST. GEORGE'S
Duncan Rink No. 1	Sir C. Severn
Sellers Guy	
Kelth Lowe	
Patou 20	Petley 12
Russell Rink No. 2	Edwards
Wylie Mc I. Messer	
Williamson Thornhill	
Greig 23	Vaux 12

St. Andrew's won by 42 points to 24.

EVENTS TO BE ANNUAL.

Speaking at the distribution of prizes at the conclusion of the afternoon's sport, Mr. D. K. Blair, the Commodore.

H.A.P.S.

SATURDAY'S OUTING.

The Hongkong Amateur Photographic Society's first outing of the New Year took place on Saturday last to Apichau via Aberdeen under the leadership of Mr. Tang Ping-woon. On arrival at Aberdeen by motor-car, a crossing was made to Apichau and thence to the crest of the hill from which a fine survey was made confirming the thought that the title of "Duck's Tongue Islet" is quite justified. A few snapshots were taken, but disappointment was expressed at the absence of appropriate cloud effects. However opportunity was not lost and the time was profitably and happily spent.

TENNIS LEAGUE.

C.R.C. WINS 2ND DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the second match of the triangular tournament, in which the Chinese R.C., the Indian R.C. and the University tied for the first place, the Chinese R.C. defeated the Indians yesterday by 59 games to 40. By kind permission of the Craven-gower C.C. the match was played on their courts at Happy Valley. The C.R.C. thus win the shield, having defeated the University in the first match of the series. The scores were:—

Yew and Yew beat I. Razack and A. L. Rumjahn 8-3, beat A. H. Rumjahn and S. A. Ismail 6-5, beat D. Rumjahn and O. Ismail 7-4. Lau and Kwok beat Razack and A. L. Rumjahn 6-5, lost to A. H. Rumjahn and S. A. Ismail 5-6, beat D. Rumjahn and O. Ismail 6-5. Ho and Ho beat Razack and Rumjahn 7-4, beat A. H. Rumjahn and Ismail 7-4, beat D. Rumjahn and O. Ismail 7-4.

ROYAL H.K. GOLF CLUB.

LADIES' SECTION MEETS.

The general meeting of the Ladies' Section of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club was held at the Helena May Institute on Thursday last. There was a large attendance. Lady Rees-Davies, who presided, gave a short review of the work done last year by the outgoing Committee, after which the officers for the current year were elected as follows:—

Captain.—Mrs. E. D. C. Wolfe, proposed by Lady Rees-Davies and seconded by Mrs. F. A. Redmond. Committee.—Mrs. P. S. Cassidy, Mrs. F. Crawford, Mrs. C. W. McKenny, Mrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, Mrs. T. E. Pearce, Mrs. F. A. Redmond. Several matters of general interest were then discussed and votes of thanks were unanimously accorded to Lady Rees-Davies, Mrs. F. A. Redmond and the retiring Committee; to the Council of the Helena May Institute for their kindness in placing a room at the disposal of the Ladies' Section for their meetings; and to Messrs. Perry, Smith, Scott and Fleming for their kind assistance throughout the past year.

(Commodore of the Club) said they hoped to make the events annual.

Continuing Mr. Blair recalled what the president of St. George's Society had said at the Ball the other night when he called attention to the origin and use of the St. George's flag. The president, he said, pointed out that the ships of the H. M. Navy went into battle flying the ensign representative of St. George. He, Mr. Blair, would venture to go a point further by saying that this flag was also the flag of the Royal Yacht Squadron. He entirely disagreed with those who thought that the number of contests between the two Societies were too many and the idea overdone. These contests fostered the interests in both Societies and he thought they should be encouraged.

The Commodore concluded by thanking Mr. Rouse and Mr. Ralph for their work in connection with the arrangement of the event.

Mr. R. Sutherland, in handing over the flag of St. Andrew to Mr. E. Cock, (representing St. George's Society) said he had been yachting in these waters for 18 years and had learned his sailing under the late Sir Henry May. He spoke of the difference in sailing conditions now compared with those of the earlier days, and went on to say that the Scotsmen were now thinking of contests that could be played between the Societies other than bowls (Laughter).

In handing over the flag to Mr. Cock he hoped it would be for the first time and the last. He thought Mr. Cock was always glad to see flags of this design coming his way; in fact he did not know what he would do if he didn't see them about (Laughter).

Mr. Cock in receiving the flag suitably replied.

The Commodore then called on Mrs. Carpenter to present spoons to the winning bowls team.

Hearty cheers were given for Mrs. Carpenter and Mr. D. K. Blair, the Commodore.

FAR EASTERN PORTS.

NOTABLE NEW BOOK PUBLISHED.

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Among the many thousand books turned out every year few can claim to be alike interesting, entertaining and thoroughly useful. Comes a volume now which is all three. Readable it is thanks to its generous historical and descriptive chapters; fascinating on account of its many beautiful illustrations; and eminently useful because it contains much valuable commercial and industrial information. This book is "Seaports of the Far East." Compiled and edited by Mr. Allister Macmillan, F.R.G.S., it is published by Messrs. W. H. & L. Collingridge (London) in a handsome green leather binding, artistically lettered and ornamented in gold. Mr. Macmillan, who has had extensive experience in the Far East and other parts of the world, has done his work well, fully achieving the aim he outlines in the preface. The purpose of the book, he explains, is to convey, by photographic reproductions as well as by descriptive letterpress, useful and interesting information regarding some of the principal seaports of the Far East, especially their commercial and industrial activities. A similar effort, but on a less comprehensive scale, was made by Mr. Macmillan in 1907; and the success of that volume and the many others of the same character since published on his behalf by Messrs. W. H. & L. Collingridge, leads him in to hope that when Japan recovers somewhat from its recent fearful devastation, another and still larger edition of the present work may be published. Meanwhile "Seaports of the Far East" in its existing form, even a casual glance reveals, will prove itself an invaluable book. Comprising over 500 pages, it might almost claim the title encyclopaedia. Among the regions described are Burma, Siam, the Malay Peninsula, Hongkong, and Shanghai. Every capital is adequately dealt with—Rangoon, Bangkok, Singapore, Penang, Victoria and Shanghai; each receiving also special sections dealing with its leading commercial concerns. Together with the useful general trade information given in the descriptive chapters about each city, these special commercial sections give the book its peculiar value to business men who can speedily find any important concern which interests them by simply turning it up in the extensive index. The information about commercial concerns is full and accurate, touching upon the firm's history, describing its scope and detailing its agencies. The index also enables the inquirer to find what he wants to know about a thousand items from (as in the case of Hongkong) area to wealth; bargains to sport; Chinese coffins to shipping. Briefly "Seaports of the Far East" is a business man's guide, invaluable for its facts and figures; and also a fascinating travel book, beautifully illustrated. Having said that, nothing remains but to congratulate Mr. Macmillan and his very fortunate publishers. They both deserve the success which surely awaits them.

S.S. "NALDERA."

P. & O. GIANT.

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SECOND NEW CONTEST.

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CHOOSE YOUR OWN MOVIE FILMS!

This week's voting contest follows the new lines laid down last week. Competitors vote for the twelve best liked movie stars. They do not select from any given list, nor do they limit their choice to pictures shown in Hongkong. With \$50 waiting to be won, this is exciting enough; but the contest again has extra interest because the management of the Coronet Theatre, who are offering the prize again this week, announce that they will follow the voting in securing new pictures. Some one must win the \$50!—Why not you?

RULES FOR THE NEW CONTEST.

This week's contest is entirely different from the ones that have gone before. The new rules are as follows:—
Cut out the coupon given below.
Fill in the TWELVE best liked movie stars, male or female.
Send the coupon to the China Mail office marked "Vote."
You may send in as many coupons as you like.
Coupons must reach the China Mail office by Monday next.
Any coupons received by the China Mail later than Monday will be disqualified.
The result will be announced in the China Mail on Wednesday next week.
Members of the China Mail staff and employees of the Coronet Theatre are debarred from entering the contest.
The decision of the Editor upon any points which may arise shall be final.

REACHING THE VERDICT.

Each star you name in your coupons will get points, according to the position you give, as follows:—

	Twelve Points.
1	Eleven "
2	Ten "
3	Nine "
4	Eight "
5	Seven "
6	Six "
7	Five "
8	Four "
9	Three "
10	Two "
11	One "

Thus the star you put first got twelve points and the star you put last only one point.
The star polling the highest total number of points will rank first in the general verdict.
The star with the next highest total number of points will come second, and so on until the twelve stars have all been placed.

FINDING THE WINNER.

Each coupon sent in will then be checked over with the general verdict. Every time you coupon has one of the twelve stars in the general verdict you will be awarded points.
These points will vary according to the position the star occupies in the general verdict and according to the position you give him or her in your coupon.
You will get twelve points if your coupon has the star who comes first in the general verdict.
If your coupon has this star correctly placed in the first position you will get 144 points (12x12).
If you have put the star second you will get 132 points (12x11); third 120 points (12x10); fourth 108 points (12x9); fifth 96 points (12x8); sixth 84 points (12x7); seventh 72 points (12x6); eighth 60 points (12x5); ninth 48 points (12x4); tenth 36 points (12x3); eleventh 24 points (12x2); and twelfth 12 points (12x1).
If your coupon includes the star coming second in the general verdict you will get eleven points, multiplied in exactly the same way as above according to the position you give the star in your coupon.
The same principle applies to every star in the general verdict down to the twelfth.
All your points will be added up, and the coupon with the highest number of points will win the prize.
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To the Editor
China Mail,
Hongkong,
January 7, 1924.

Sir,
I consider the following the twelve best liked movie stars:—
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- 2.....
- 3.....
- 4.....
- 5.....
- 6.....
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- 9.....
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- 11.....
- 12.....

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The above photograph shows ex-President Woodrow Wilson as he appeared when leaving his home in Washington for a short automobile ride, after the wild Armistice Day celebration in front of his home. This is the first photograph to be made of Mr. Wilson since he appeared at Mr. Harding's funeral.



Above is an exclusive new portrait of T. P. O'Connor, M. P., famous Irish journalist and lover of Britain as "Tay Pay." He was the recognized dean of the House of Commons in London, but has returned to his journalistic career. Mr. O'Connor recently celebrated his 75th birthday.



The greatest library in the Orient, with 750,000 volumes, went up in smoke when the earthquake and fire destroyed the Imperial University at Tokyo, according to Kenzo Takaya, professor of law, who has arrived in San Francisco for a tour of the United States to appeal to Japanese residents of this country to provide a financial nucleus for replacing the vast collection.



Alex McBride, after 38 years in the service of the repair shops of the Great Northern Railway at St. Paul, Minn., was the first employee of the railroad to purchase its stock under the new partial payment plan arranged by the railway officials. F. L. Paetzold, treasurer of the railroad, is acting as the salesman.



Impressive ceremonies marked the fifth anniversary of the signing of the armistice that ended the World War. President Coolidge and members of his official family visited the tomb of the Unknown Hero at Arlington National Cemetery and placed a wreath on the tomb. The photograph shows President Coolidge with Secretary Weeks and Assistant Secretary Roosevelt, at the tomb.



Miss Virginia Katherine Dodge, 25-year-old Wellesley College senior and Boston society girl, has opened a fashionable hat shop in The Hub, where she creates her own designs, with an unmistakable Parisian atmosphere.



William J. Fields has been elected Governor of the State of Kentucky, with a plurality of 40,000 votes. He is known in Kentucky as "Honest Bill of Olive Hill."



Ambassador Jules J. Jusserand representing France, has had several protracted conferences at the State Department with Secretary Charles Evans Hughes, seeking to explain France's attitude on the Reparations Commission, in an effort to induce America to send a representative. Mr. Hughes and President Coolidge will not act, it is believed unless France makes it clear she will remove some of the obstacles she has placed in the way of such a commission.



Kamel Hassan, born the Hereditary Governor of the Province of Voderina, in Macedonia, will shortly forswear his Turkish citizenship to become an American citizen. Kamel's father died when the lad was too young to rule, so his uncle was appointed Regent, while he came to America to secure his education. He entered Boston College, where he is a star football player and social favorite. On his 21st birthday, next August, he will relinquish his claims to the Governorship to his brother. Young Hassan speaks Greek, Turkish, French and English.



Monsignor Daniel J. Gercke, rector of the Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul, in Philadelphia, was consecrated as the new Bishop of Arizona at solemn services at his cathedral in Philadelphia. Cardinal Dougherty, aided by Bishops John B. MacGinley and James P. McCloskey, of the Philippines, officiated.



Governor Albert X. Ritchie, a Democrat, who, on his first election, reclaimed his State from the Republicans, has been re-elected Governor of Maryland, the first Governor to be re-elected under the present laws of this State. Governor Ritchie is said to be a "wet," and favors racing as an industry and sport in his State.



Princess Kuni, Princess Nagako Kuni and their youngest sister.

Left to right in the above photograph are the Princess Kuni, Princess Nagako Kuni and their youngest sister. Princess Nagako Kuni is engaged to marry the Prince Regent of Japan, but the wedding, which was to have taken place in November, has been postponed until next year because of the earthquake. This is the first photograph to be made of the future Empress since the disaster.



Dr. C. E. Beard, noted American City Planner, and Mrs. Beard have arrived in Yokohama from San Francisco. They were photographed amid the ruins of the old Yokohama Custom House. Mr. Beard went to Japan at the earnest request of Viscount Goto, Minister of Home Affairs, in the Imperial Japanese Government, to plan for the rebuilding of the city.



A sudden influx of shoes and tooth paste for prisoners in the County Jail at Cleveland, O., led to the discovery of a new method of conveying "dope." Investigation showed that large quantities of narcotics, drugs had been smuggled into the jail in the heels of shoes and in glass vials that had been inserted in the centre of tooth-paste containers. Sheriff Charles Stannard is shown inspecting some of the "evidence."

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—C44.

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DEPARTURES.

Siella, (P. & O.) for Shanghai—
January 7.

Langton Hall, (Bank Line) for
Shanghai—January 7.

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gon—January 7.

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WEATHER REPORT.

January 7d. 10h. 30m.—Pressure
has increased considerably at
Chefoo, moderately at Shanghai
and slightly over the Philippines.
It is nearly stationary at other
reporting stations.

A new anticyclone has formed
over S.E. Mongolia.

The monsoon will set in again
along the E. and S.E. coasts of
China and will freshen in the China
Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours
ending at 10 h.m. today, 0.00 inch.
Total since January 1st, 0.01 inches,
against an average of 0.18 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at
noon on January 8, 1924.

1.—Fuzhou, Chefoo, N.E. winds,
freshening considerably.

2.—South coast of China between
Hongkong and Taiwan, N.E. winds,
moderate to fresh; fair at first, some
drizzle or mist later.

3.—Hongkong, N.E. winds,
moderate to fresh; fair at first, some
drizzle or mist later.

4.—South coast of China between
Hongkong and Taiwan, N.E. winds,
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DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

JANUARY 7, 1924—A.M.

Atmosphere	Barometer	Thermometer	Humidity	Direction	Force
Atmosphere	30.09	61	75	SW	5
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Thermometer	30.09	61	75	SW	5
Humidity	30.09	61	75	SW	5
Direction	30.09	61	75	SW	5
Force	30.09	61	75	SW	5

HONGKONG OBSERVATORY, Jan. 7, 1924.

1. Barometer, reduced to sea level, 30.09, on the 7th of the sea is
inches, tenths and hundredths.

2. Temperature, in the shade in a
screen Fahrenheit, 61.

3. Humidity, in percentage of saturation
the humidity of air saturated at the
moisture being 100.

4. Direction of Wind, to two points
5. Force of Wind, according to
Beaufort's scale.

6. State of Weather, in plain
English, clear, light drizzle, rain,
fog, gloom, hail, 10 minutes of
precipitation, in inches, to two
places, and visibility in feet, to
three places.

7. Rain in inches tenths and hun-
dredths.

HONGKONG REGISTER.

Previous day	Atmosphere	Thermometer	Humidity	Direction	Force
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Atmosphere	Thermometer	Humidity	Direction	Force	
Thermometer	Humidity	Direction	Force		
Humidity	Direction	Force			
Direction	Force				
Force					

Highest open air temperature on the 6th, 65
Lowest open air temperature on the 6th, 49
T. F. O'CONNOR, Director.
Hongkong Observatory, Jan. 7, 1924.

HONGKONG TIME SIGNALS

The Time Ball on Kowloon Signal Hill
is dropped daily at 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.,
except on Saturdays when it is dropped
at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., and on Sundays
and Holidays when it is dropped at
10 a.m.

The Ball is hoisted half mast at
5.55 minutes and full mast at the 57 1/2
minutes. Should the ball fall to drop at
the correct time it will be lowered at 1
minute past the hour and the ordinary
routine repeated at the following hour
if possible.

Should the Time Ball be out of order
the above routine will be carried on
with the flag "Z" on the Signal Mast.

Time Signals are also given at night
by means of three white lamps mounted
vertically on the Observatory Signal
Mast.

From 8.55 to 9.00 p.m. the lamps
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quis, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi,
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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9.
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Vancouver 10.30 a.m.
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quis, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi,
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Parcel 10.30 a.m.
THURSDAY, JANUARY 10.
Shanghai 10 a.m.
Yokohama 10.30 a.m.
Saigon 10.30 a.m.
Amoy 10.30 a.m.
FRIDAY, JANUARY 11.
Shanghai 10.30 a.m.
Yokohama 10.30 a.m.
Saigon 10.30 a.m.
Amoy 10.30 a.m.

Saturday, January 12.
Shanghai 10.30 a.m.
Yokohama 10.30 a.m.
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Amoy 10.30 a.m.
Sunday, January 13.
Shanghai 10.30 a.m.
Yokohama 10.30 a.m.
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Amoy 10.30 a.m.
Monday, January 14.
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